

**NEW** KIDDIES CHRISTIAN COMICS

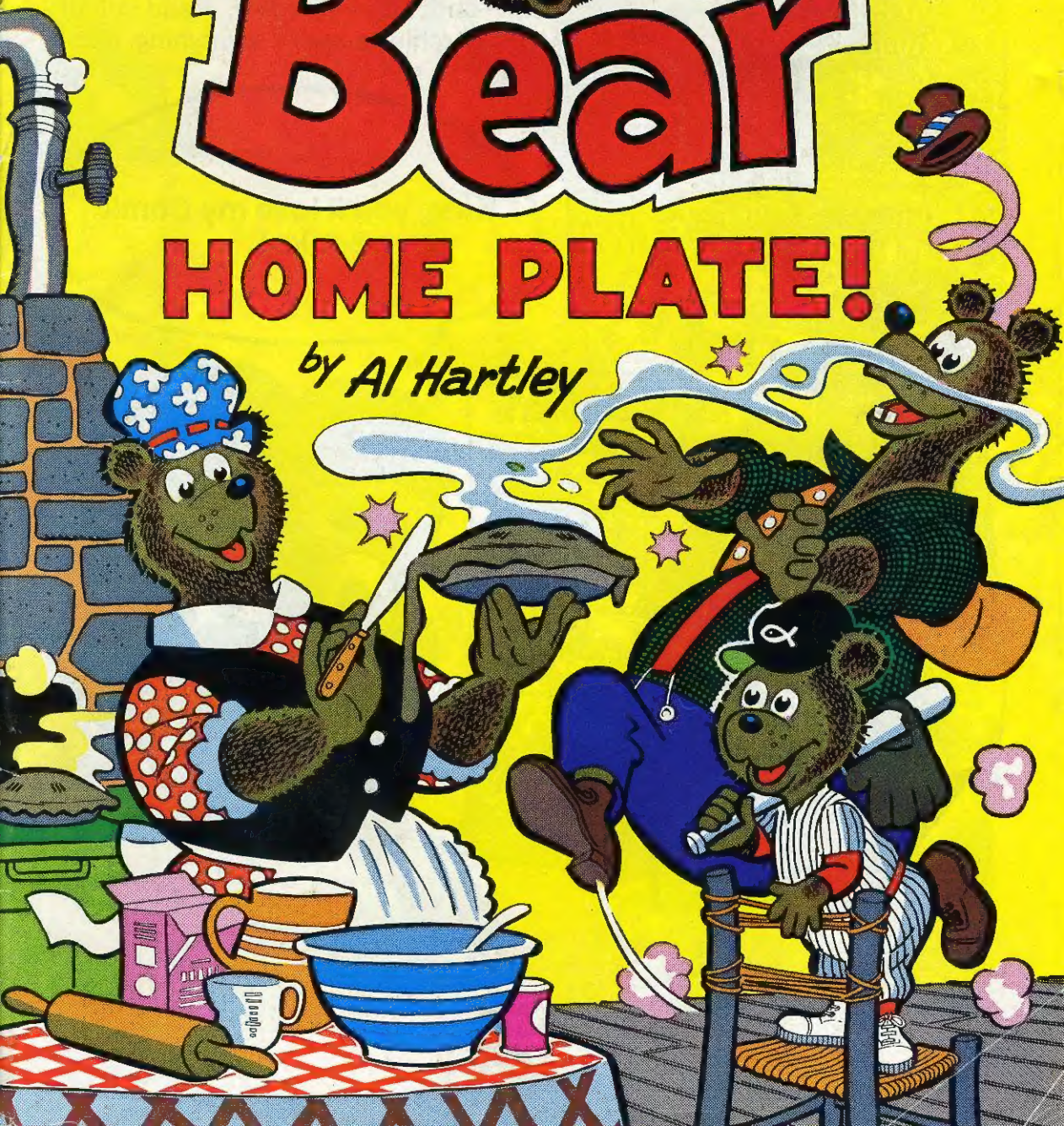
BARBOUR  
CHRISTIAN  
COMICS

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# Barney Bear

**HOME PLATE!**

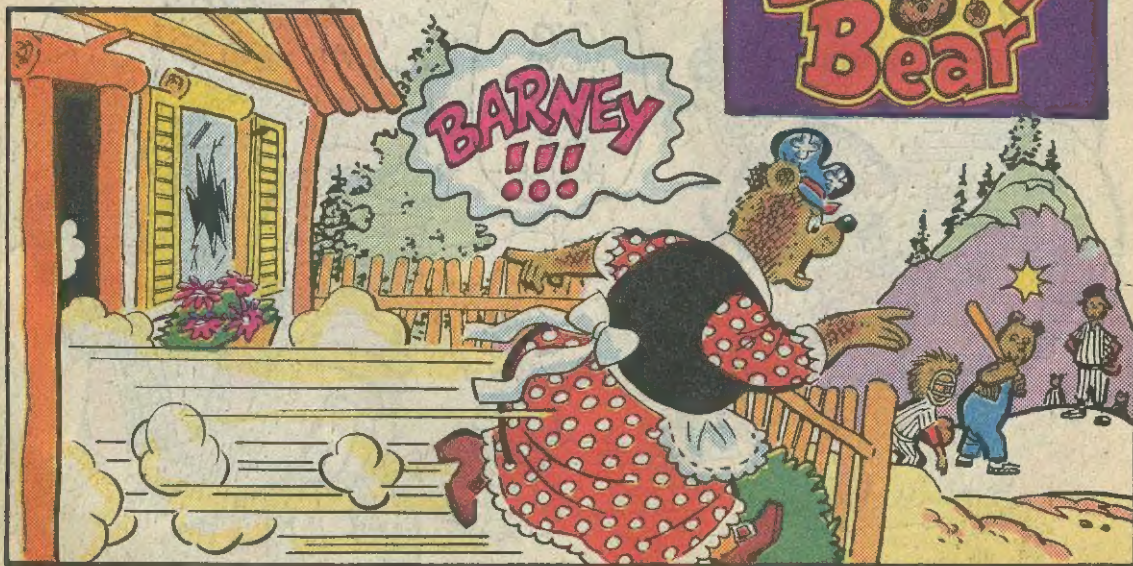
*by Al Hartley*







**Barney  
Bear**





















SORRY,  
GUYS---

GULP!

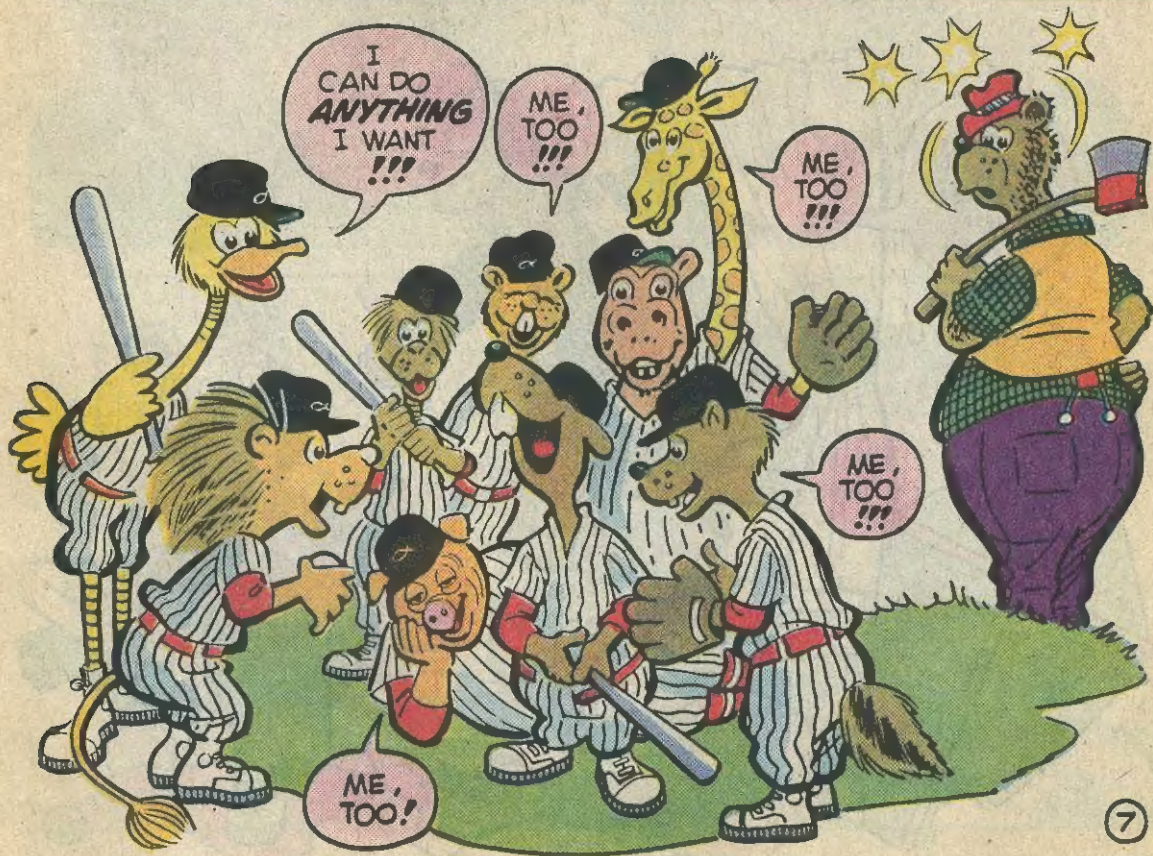
I  
CAN'T  
COME  
OUT!

BUT  
WE NEED TO  
**PRACTICE**,  
BARNEY  
!!!

THE  
**BIG GAME**  
IS NEXT  
WEEK  
!!!









NEED  
SOME  
**HELP,**  
SON  
???

THANKS,  
DAD---

BUT  
YOU DON'T  
KNOW WHERE  
MY THINGS  
GO!

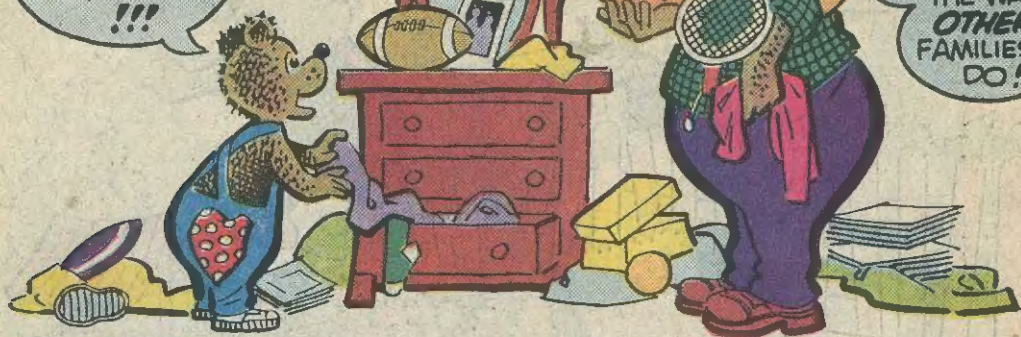


WELL,  
YOU CAN  
**SHOW**  
ME  
!!!





DAD---  
YOU AND  
MOM ARE  
**DIFFERENT**  
THAN OTHER  
PARENTS  
**!!!**



THAT'S  
RIGHT,  
SON---  
--- WE  
DON'T  
ALWAYS  
**DO THINGS**  
THE WAY  
**OTHER**  
FAMILIES  
DO!

MY  
FRIENDS  
MAKE  
**FUN**  
OF ME  
**!!!**

THEY  
SAY YOU'RE  
**TOO**  
**STRICT**  
**!!!**



SEE THOSE  
THINGS WE PLANTED  
IN THE GARDEN,  
BARNEY?

SURE,  
DAD!

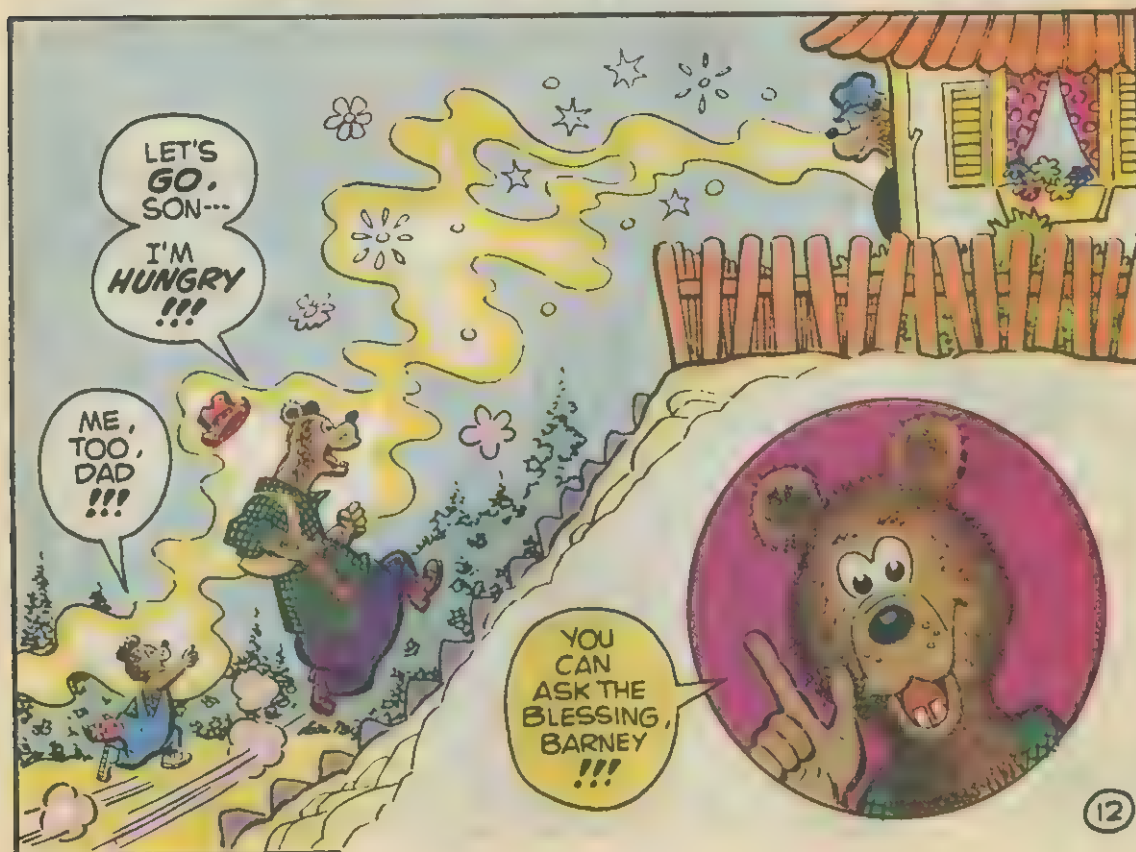
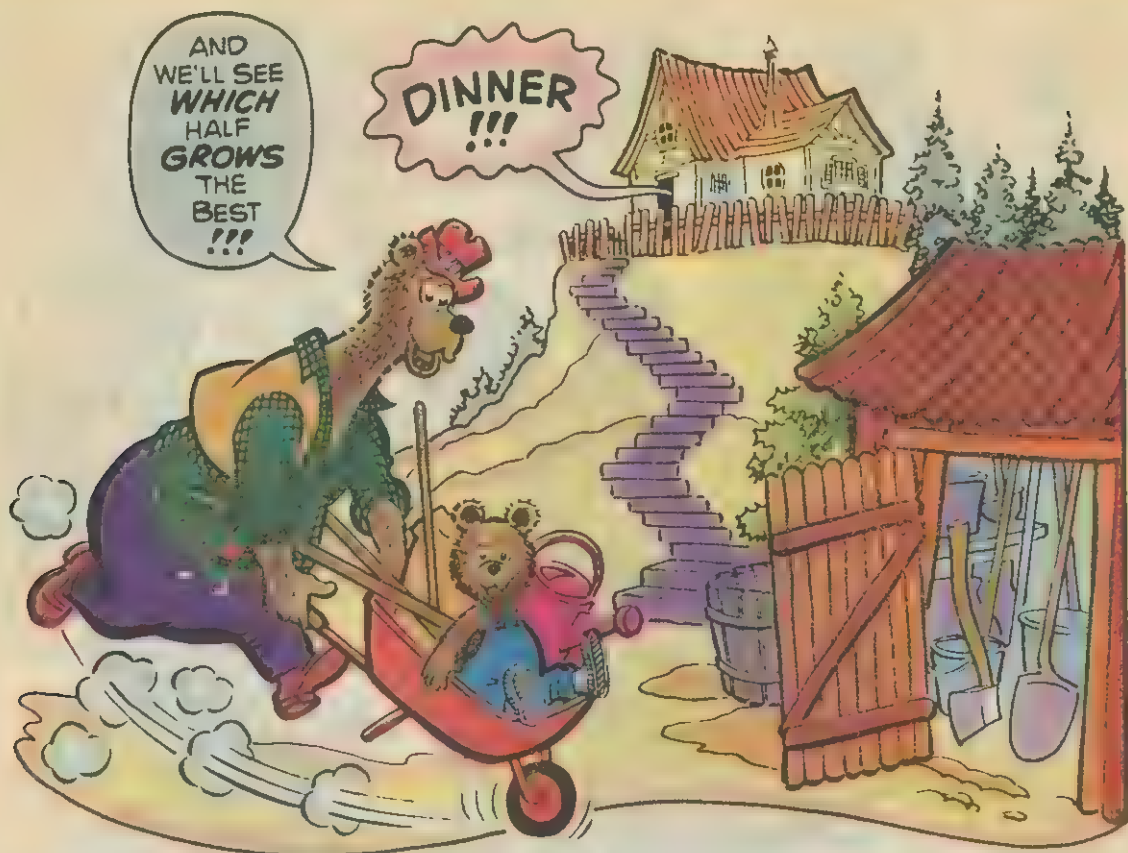








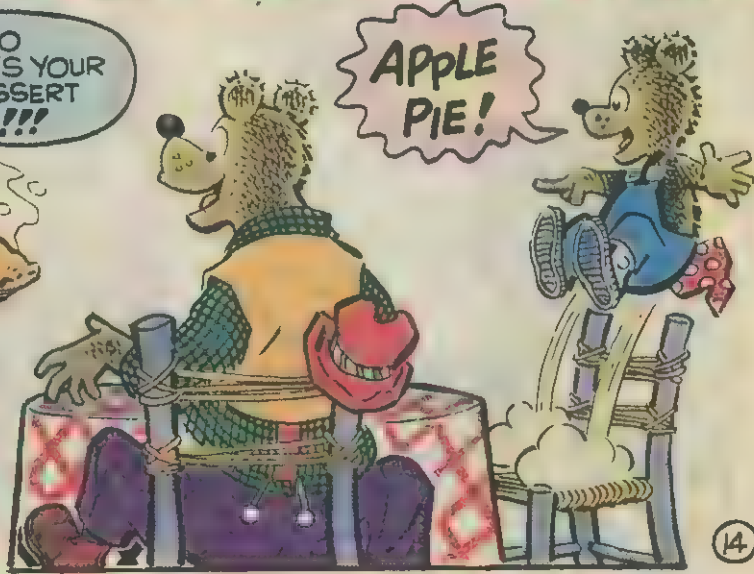
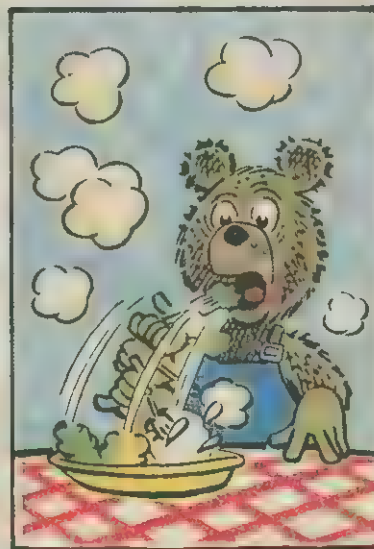
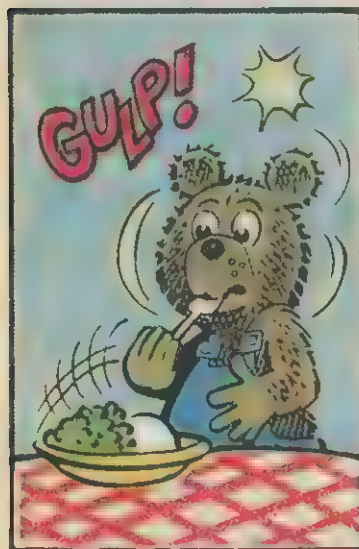
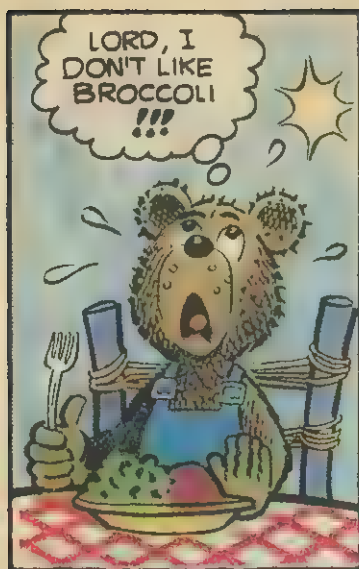




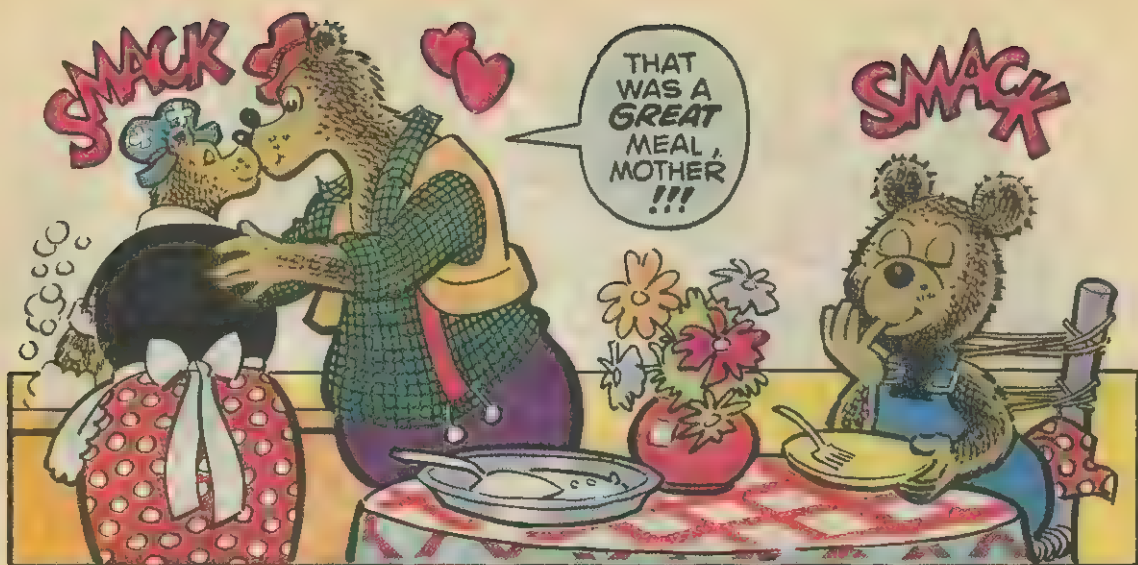










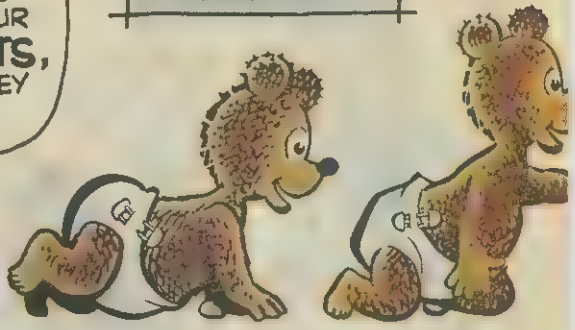






THE  
FAMILY  
GIVES  
US OUR  
ROOTS,  
BARNEY  
!!!

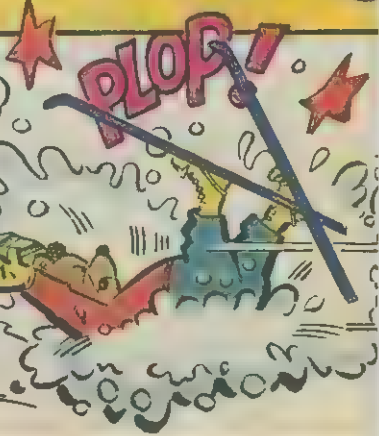
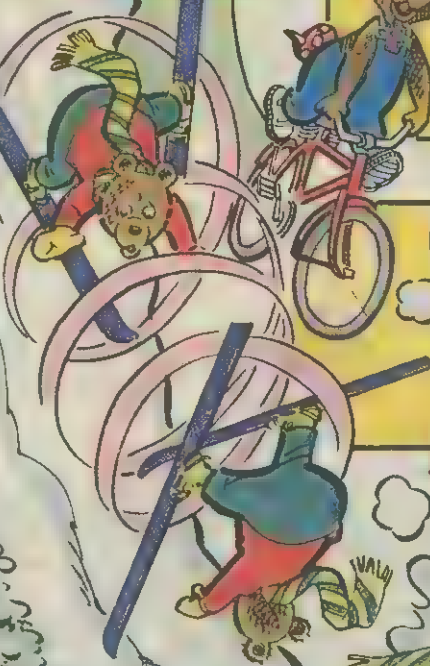
WE TEACH  
EACH OTHER TO  
WALK !!!



TO  
RIDE A  
BIKE  
!!!



TO  
SKI  
!!!









WE'LL  
PICK UP  
OUR **PLANTS**,  
TOO---

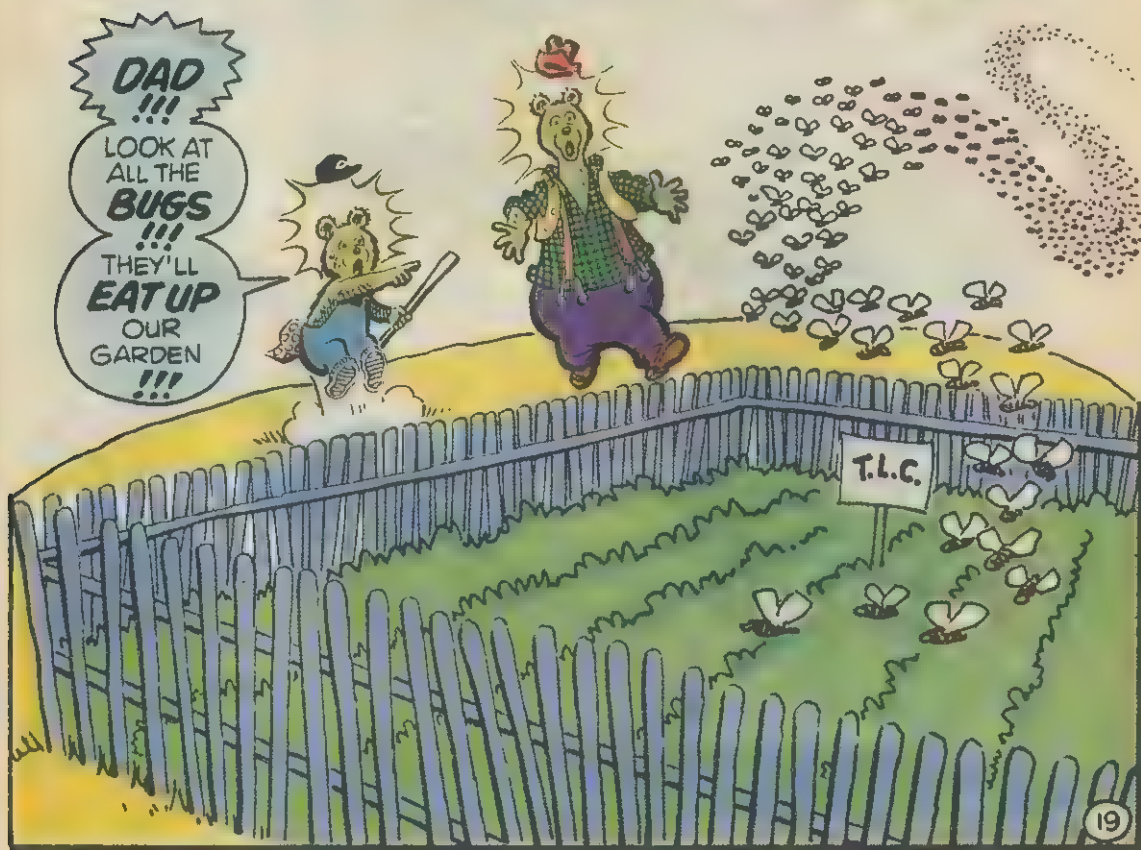
---AND  
PUT  
**STRAW**  
UNDER  
THEM  
!!!



BUT  
WE'LL  
LET THE  
**OTHER**  
PLANTS  
JUST LAY  
IN THE  
DIRT  
!!!











THE  
BUGS ARE  
EATING THE  
OTHER  
SIDE!







WHEN  
YOU  
**TAKE  
CARE**  
OF  
THINGS,  
BARNEY...

YOU  
DON'T  
HAVE TO  
**WORRY**  
!!!

LORD,  
THANK  
YOU FOR  
TAKING  
CARE OF  
**US**  
TODAY  
!!!

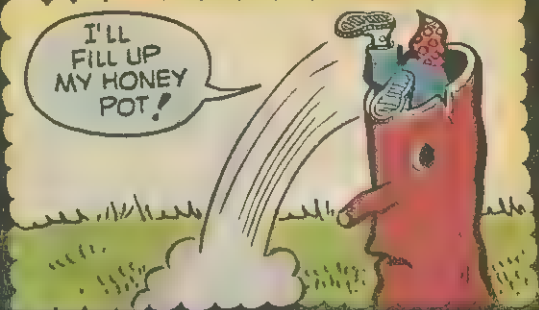
SLEEP  
TIGHT,  
BARNEY  
!!!



THE  
BEES ARE  
MAKING  
HONEY!



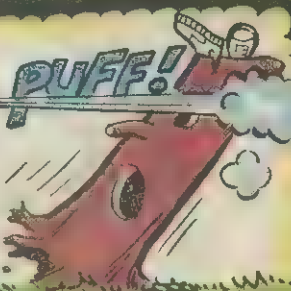
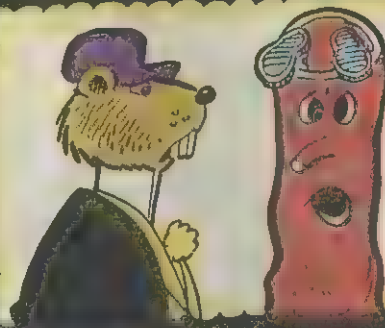
I'LL  
FILL UP  
MY HONEY  
POT!



I'M THE  
ROOT  
INSPECTOR  
!!!



I  
DON'T  
HAVE  
ANY  
ROOTS  
!!!



YOU  
FAILED  
INSPECTION  
!!!



HELP!  
TERMITES  
ARE EATING  
ME!



THEY'RE  
EATING  
ME, TOO!



GET ME  
OUT OF  
HERE!









THE  
NEXT  
WEEK---

LOOK AT ALL THE  
**STRAWBERRIES,**  
BARNEY!



BUT  
WHAT  
HAPPENED  
TO THE  
**OTHER**  
PLANTS  
???



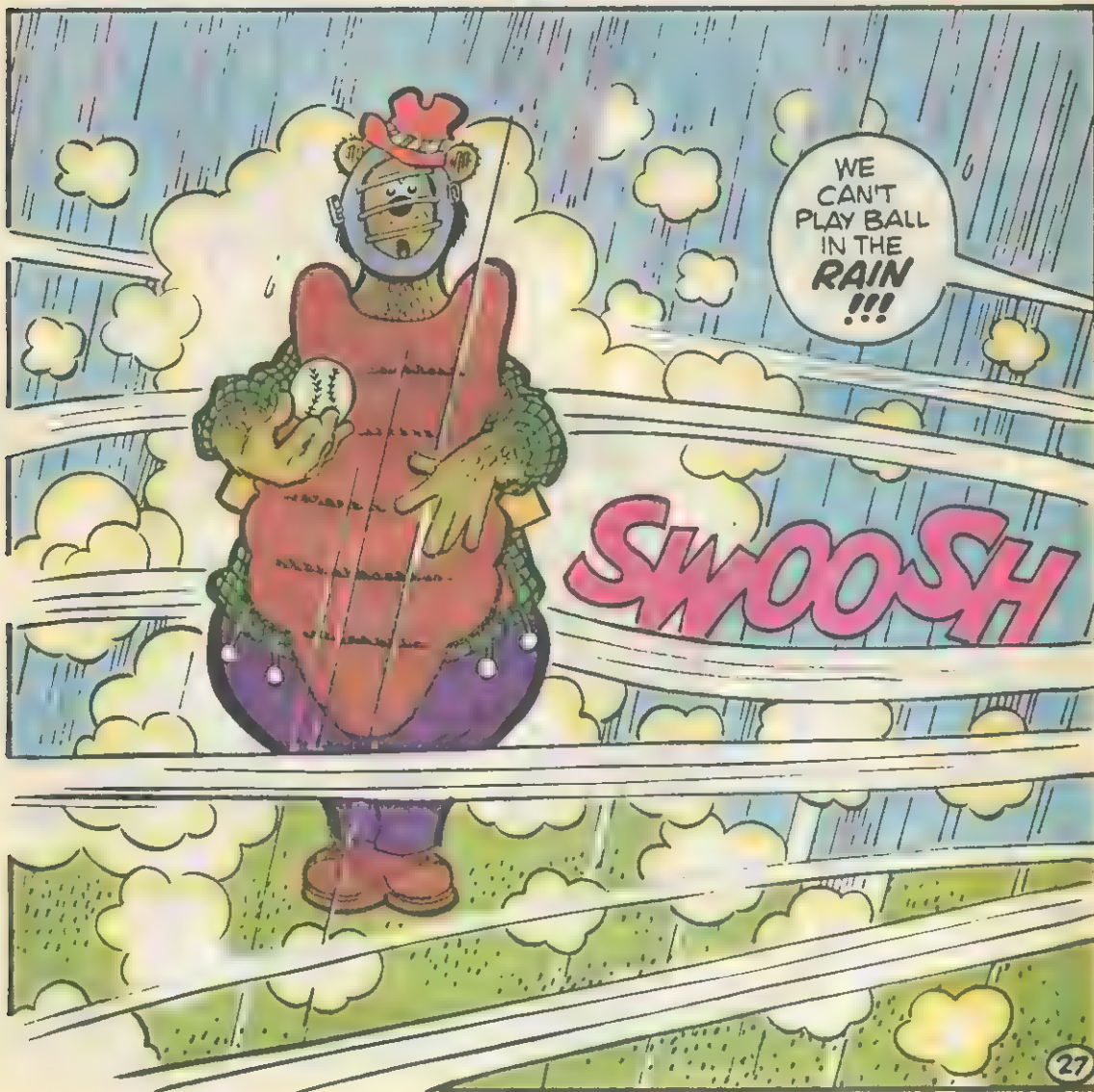




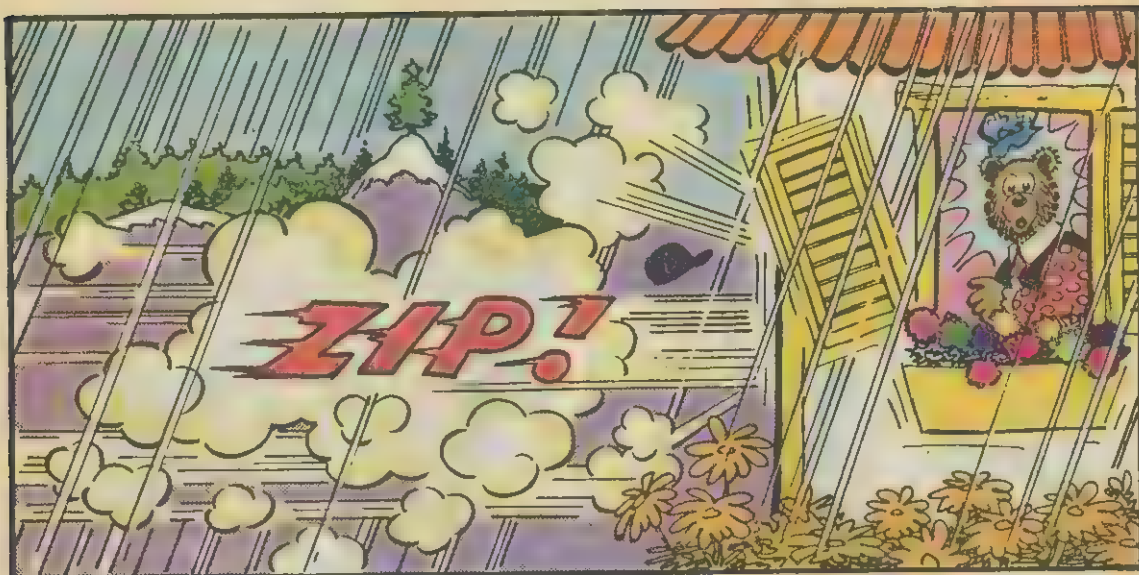














WE'LL  
FEED THEM  
**STRAWBERRY  
SHORTCAKE**  
!!!

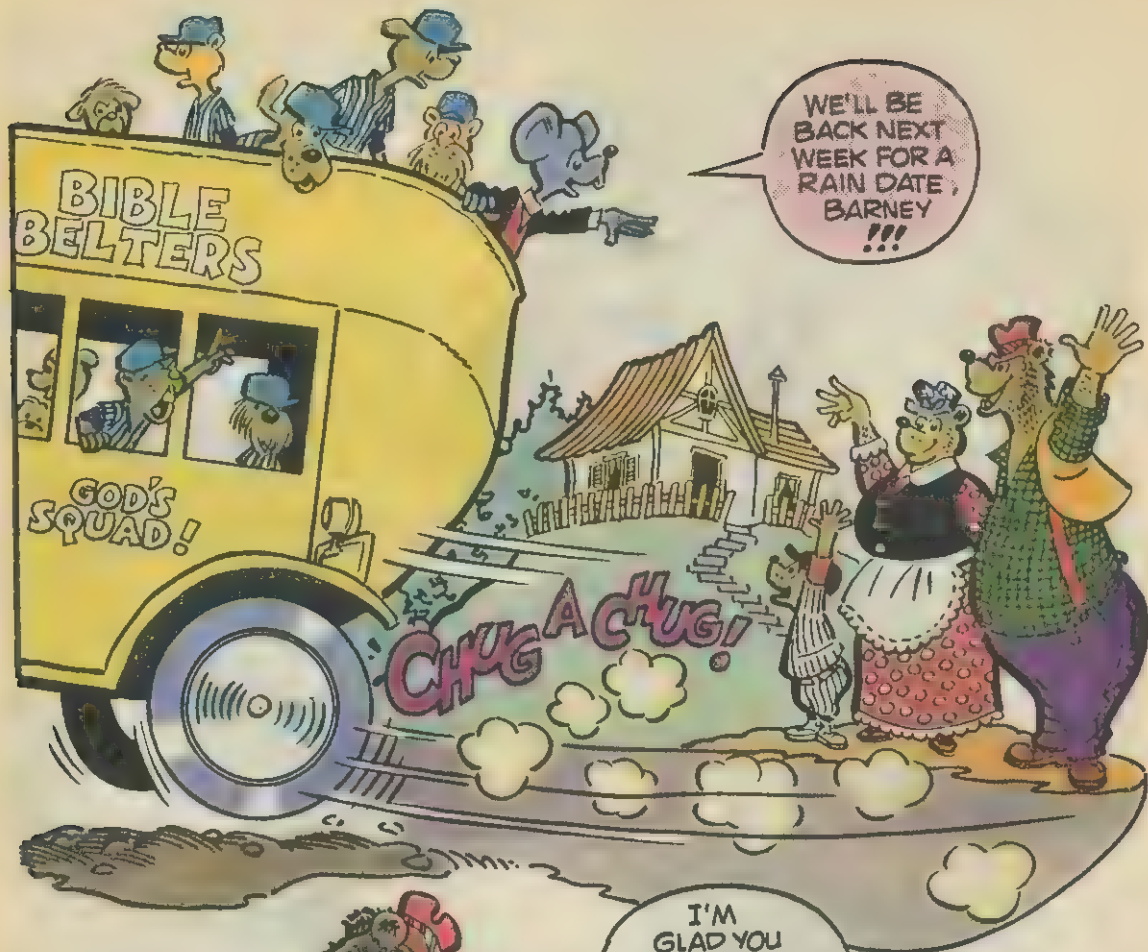


WE  
CAME TO PLAY  
**BASEBALL...**

---BUT  
I'M GLAD  
WE REACHED  
**THIS**  
HOME  
PLATE!











WE  
JUST DO  
WHAT THE  
BIBLE SAYS,  
BARNEY  
!!!

AND  
I'M  
GOING TO DO  
WHAT THE  
BIBLE SAYS,  
TOO  
!!!

TRAIN  
A CHILD  
TO GROW UP  
GOD'S  
WAY!

SEE  
PROVERBS  
22:6

HONOR  
YOUR  
FATHER  
AND  
MOTHER  
!!!

SEE  
EPHESIANS  
6:2



THE  
FAMILY  
IS  
GOD'S  
GARDEN,  
BARNEY  
!!!

GOD  
WANTS  
TO GROW  
BEAUTIFUL,  
HEALTHY  
FRUIT!

GOD  
HELPS YOU  
TO WEED OUT  
THINGS THAT  
AREN'T GOOD  
FOR YOU  
!!!

WILL  
YOU PRAY  
WITH ME?

THANK YOU, LORD---  
FOR PARENTS WHO  
LOVE ME---  
AND TAKE GOOD CARE  
OF ME!  
PLEASE HELP ME TO  
READ MY BIBLE!  
AND TO TRUST JESUS  
AS MY LORD AND  
SAVIOUR!

WRITE YOUR NAME  
HERE!

*Al  
Hanley*



# THE **BEST** FOR YOU!

YOU AND I SHARE A SPECIAL RELATIONSHIP THROUGH OUR COMICS! WE ENJOY ALL THE THINGS THAT MAKE COMICS EXCITING --- PLUS THE EXTRAS THAT FILL THIS SERIES --- PRAYER, FAITH AND A REAL DESIRE TO SEEK GOD'S BEST FOR OUR LIVES!

WE TAKE A SLICE OF LIFE IN EACH ISSUE AND PUT IT ALONGSIDE GOD'S WORD, AND WE SEE HOW PERFECTLY THE BIBLE FITS OUR LIVES!



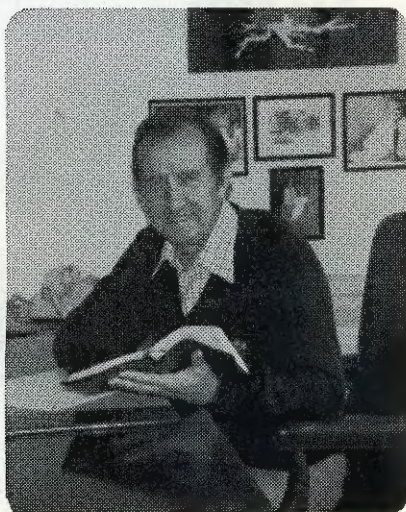
## GOD LOVES YOU! HE WANTS THE BEST FOR YOU!

- GOD CREATED YOU AND GAVE YOU **FREEDOM OF CHOICE!**
- YOU'RE FREE TO ACCEPT GOD'S LOVE, OR **REJECT IT!**
- ACCEPTING GOD'S LOVE BRINGS JOY, PEACE AND ETERNAL LIFE!
- REJECTING GOD'S LOVE BRINGS TROUBLE AND CONFLICT!
- GOD KNOWS ALL ABOUT YOUR LIFE STYLE AND YOUR MISTAKES!
- GOD SENT JESUS TO FORGIVE YOU AND TAKE AWAY YOUR GUILT!
- JESUS MAKES YOU THE KIND OF PERSON GOD KNOWS YOU CAN BE!

### GOD'S PROMISE :

" WHEN JESUS COMES INTO YOUR LIFE, YOU BECOME A BRAND-NEW PERSON. EVERYTHING CHANGES FOR THE BETTER. A NEW LIFE BEGINS. "

SEE 2 CORINTHIANS 5:17



YOU CAN PRAY THIS PRAYER RIGHT NOW... AND KNOW HOW MUCH GOD WANTS TO BLESS YOU!

GOD, I WANT YOUR LOVE AND FORGIVENESS! (CONFESS YOUR SINS TO GOD) PLEASE HELP ME TO LET JESUS BECOME MY LORD AND SAVIOUR. I WANT YOUR BEST FOR MY LIFE. AMEN

YOU'LL FIND IT HELPFUL TO READ THE BIBLE EVERY DAY! \* WHEN YOU PRAY, GIVE GOD A CHANCE TO SPEAK TO YOU! ATTEND CHURCH AND JOIN A BIBLE-STUDY GROUP. THE MORE YOU KNOW ABOUT GOD'S PROMISES, THE MORE YOU'LL KNOW HIS BEST FOR YOUR LIFE!

\* START BY READING THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

*Trust God  
and He will  
bless you!*

*Lee  
Hentley*



